

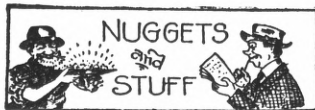
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Some weeks ago we published an article taken from a Stanford University publication, concerning Hangtown's extra-toed cats, and since that time we have been told of other extra-toed cats and cats with V tails etc.

We don't know whether our kitties are different from any other kitties, but at least we are learning something about what the humane society would call "our domesticated friends of the feline family."

Hugo Benson says they have had a Persian cat for about five years and she was born with just a stub of a tail.

"Naturally, in the course of a cat's life," says Mr. Benson, "they raise many families. Some of the fathers; in fact, most of them, are just common, ordinary cats, sometimes called alley cats."

"Each batch of cats will average about four. Three of them will be with stubby tails and the other with an exceptionally long tail, as to make up for the shortness of the others. In case there is a doubt about the veracity of the foregoing, I will be glad to exhibit four at this time, three with short tails and one with a long tail. I have promised two of them but the other two will be available for public distribution in about three weeks."

Maybe we have something here. Send in your cats—No! Don't do that! Better send in your notes about your cats. Perhaps we can produce enough unusual facts about cats that the Stanford cat geneticists who are studying the six-toed cats will come up here and really go to work.

El Dorado County has some gunners in the 27th annual state trapshoot, under way at Sacramento. Ernest Carsten, Sr., and Ernest, Jr., got away with scores of 184 and 187 respectively Friday in the sixteen-yard shoot at 200 targets and Les Neilsen came up with 187 in the same event. High score was 193 and a north wind made shooting bad. Better luck today, perhaps.

Kenneth Brooks has returned from a visit of about two weeks at Los Angeles.

"Red" Nichols, formerly employed with Sateway here, and last season a lookout for the forest service, is here expecting to be employed in the new grocery to be opened in the building near completion on Main Street west of Fry's Garage. "Red" declined to name his employer.

Martin Sumner was a San Francisco Saturday.

Henry Todd was a Saturday at Roseville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Nelson were callers from Garden Valley Saturday morning.

Marian E. Longstaff has filed suit for divorce from George S. Longstaff charging cruelty. The couple wed at Auburn August 13, 1936, and separated February 2, last. They have no children. Plaintiff asks the right to resume her former name, Marian Weller. Attorney Thomas Mair filed the papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Peterson, of Diamond Springs, are the Parents of a son, Kenneth L. Peterson, born May 3 at Placerville Sanatorium, according to a certificate recorded Saturday with Recorder Charles Marsh.

Fred Wessels was in town Saturday from near Shingle.

Judge George H. Thompson told Henry Robert Swartz, in Superior Court Saturday morning that in his opinion a tread-mill, like they used to have in penal institutions many years ago, a proper place for a father who refuses to support his children.

Swartz, father of five, said he thought if he was granted probation he could contribute \$60 per month; at least he'd try.

"I'm going to take a chance on you," said the court, enumerating then the special terms and conditions of probation which will continue over a two-year period.

Don't forget your second installment of city taxes if you haven't paid 'em. They will be delinquent at 5 o'clock on Monday, May 9th, and that's day after tomorrow.

C. C. Herbert, forest road superintendent, was in the Riverton section Saturday.

BARTLETTS AT HOME SUNDAY

Foothill League Team Goes To Forest Hill For First League Game Of Year

STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Auburn	2	0	1000
Roseville W and R	1	0	1000
Placerville	1	1	.500
Colfax	1	1	.500
Roseville Tigers	1	1	.500
Folsom	0	1	.000
Grass Valley	0	1	.000
Loomis	0	1	.000

The Bartletts meet one of the Roseville teams—the Tigers—at Marcus P. Bennett, Jr. Memorial Park Sunday, while on another baseball front the Placerville team in the Foothill League goes to Forest Hill for its first league game of the season.

The Foothillers were to have started things last weekend but were rained out, along with the Placer-Nevada League Games.

Cliff Swesey is managing the Foothill League team which this week will not be at full strength, owing to the circumstances that many of his charges are included in the El Dorado County high school lineup, and Coach Brown is naturally reluctant to let his lads go for league competition until they have seen how far they can go toward winning the Northern California high school championship.

In the Placer-Nevada league, while the Barts are entertaining the Tigers, Auburn goes to Grass Valley, Folsom to Colfax and Loomis to Roseville against the W. & R. nine.

Manager Al Prince appears to have signed a couple of new hurlers, which seem to have been needed, for he announces that either T. Plarino or Stewart will pitch. J. Warner will catch, Begovich at first, Spaman at second; Reeder at third; Neil at shortstop, with Warren, Patterson and M. Woerner in the outfield.

The Tigers "claws" will be Roderich on the mound, Willy catcher; May, first base; Buchner, second; Williams, third; McManis, shortstop; and Doyle, Blum and Bosco in the field.

Both managers reserve the right to make changes before the game starts.

1,000 Ballots In Fruit Vote

More Than 350 Sent Directly To Pear And Plum Growers Of El Dorado County

As result of recent inquiries made in connection with the grower referendum on the new California Tree Fruit Agreement, R. C. Samsel, AAA representative at Sacramento, stated today that a total of over 4,450 ballots had been mailed by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration directly to growers of California Bartlett pears, plums, Elberta peaches, and Buerre-Hardy pears.

Samsel, designated by the Secretary of Agriculture to assist in conducting the referendum, pointed out that great efforts had been made to send ballots to every California grower of the four fruits involved in the agreement as tentatively approved.

"However," stated Samsel, "over 1,000 ballots have been placed in county agricultural conservation offices in all counties affected so that growers not on the available grower lists may cast their ballots on May 6. This will enable all growers to have an opportunity to participate in the referendum, in accordance with provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937."

Of the ballots mailed directly to individual growers, Samsel said, over 300 were sent to Lake County growers, over 370 to growers of the Vacaville-Winters-Suisun area, 940 to Placer County Prokers, over 200 to Sonoma County, around 280 to Sacramento County, over 350 to El Dorado County, over 1200 to San Joaquin County, nearly 140 to Contra Costa County. Remaining ballots were sent directly to growers in other tree fruit producing areas of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson and younger son were over from Auburn Saturday afternoon. Mr. Johnson wanted to see about getting his boat in shape for the coming season at their Echo Lake summer home.



THIS WAS A RECORD — Ralph Caviler of the Atlantic City, New Jersey, Tuna Club reached that happy height of every fisherman's hopes when he caught this record-breaking fish, recently. It isn't a tuna, but it is a huge striped bass. It weighs 40½ pounds and was hooked in the Mullica River near Atlantic City. The fish was believed to be the largest of the species ever caught in New Jersey waters.

3 MILLION EXPECTED TO BE ON RELIEF ROLLS NEXT WINTER. SAYS HOPKINS

Anticipated Figure Would Exceed Previous WPA Peak, According To Testimony Given By Administrator Before House Appropriations Sub-Committee

By JOHN R. BEAL
United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, (UP)—Works Progress Administrator Harry L. Hopkins told a house subcommittee that federal relief will cost about \$3,600,000,000 for the fiscal year 1939 with relief rolls of about 3,100,000 persons next winter, it was revealed today.

Relief rolls now list about 2,600,000 persons, Hopkins said, an increase to 3,100,000 would exceed the previous WPA peak of 3,036,000 on Feb. 29, 1936.

Hopkins gave his testimony before the house appropriations deficiency subcommittee during hearings on President Roosevelt's relief recovery bill, in which \$1,250,000,000 was requested for the works progress administration for the first seven months of fiscal 1939.

Hopkins was asked by chairman Clinton A. Woodrum, D. Va., to project the program for the full fiscal year.

"If you project it on the same basis it would mean another billion dollars," he replied.

"That would be \$3,250,000,000 for the whole year?" asked Woodrum.

"In round figures," said Hopkins, "it would be \$3,000,000,000 for additional work expenditures for the full year, which is two billion dollars over the budget estimate, if you are projecting it for a full year."

In addition to WPA funds, Mr. Roosevelt requested, for direct expenditure, \$75,000,000 for the farm security administration, \$85,000,000 for the national youth administration, \$50,000,000 for the civilian conservation corps, which already has been voted, \$450,000,000 for grants by the public works administration, an increase of \$100,000,000 in federal highway aid funds, voted by the house, and \$37,000,000 for flood control, also voted by the house.

CONDITIONAL PROBATION ON NON-SUPPORT CHARGE GRANTED

Henry Robert Swartz, charged with failure to provide for his wife and five minor children, won a conditional probation Saturday in Superior Court before Judge George H. Thompson.

The court put him on probation for two years, conditioned upon his paying \$60 per month to his family, and directed him to account to the probation officer for all his earnings.

Mrs. Swartz told the court something of her struggles with her family and explained that the youngest child (a year old May 14) is under treatment for scurvy, attributed to lack of proper nourishment.

She said Swartz has a mania for prospecting and spends a large amount of such money as he earns, in that field. The court ordered he must stop prospecting and get a job. The judge indicated this to be an order of the court and said it might be modified under certain worth while circumstances, if such application was made by the probation officer. The couple has separated.

\$10 FINE IMPOSED FOR THEFT OF HEADLIGHT FROM AUTOMOBILE

Ed. J. Manix was found guilty of petty theft before Acting Police Judge T. F. Lewis Friday afternoon and was fined \$10.

The charge was brought by the Placerville Automobile Company which charged Manix had taken a high-speed driving light off its tow car while the machine was parked in a lot opposite the garage. The light was returned.

JOHN ARTHUR CHAIRMAN OF NORTHSIDE CENTER

John Arthur was elected chairman of the Northside Farm Center at the annual election of officers, held at the center's meeting at Penobscot on Friday evening. He will succeed Burton Threlkel.

Other officers chosen are W. G. Collier, vice-chairman and Dorothy Glass, who was re-elected secretary-treasurer. Motion pictures showing tractors in operation were supplied by the Weaver Tractor Company and speakers included W. P. Fassett, chairman of the Camino center. Sheriff George M. Smith was a visitor.

The meeting closed with the serving of refreshments.

Mrs. Helen Giffen and son Dick, were Saturday visitors from the Big Canyon mine.

SUMMIT MAY BE OPEN IN TWO WEEKS

Earl Lee Kelly Guest Speaker Friday Night At Meeting Of Road Boosters At Angels Camp

The Mother Lode Highway Association at its meeting at Angels Camp on Friday night had Earl Lee Kelly, state director of public works, as guest speaker.

Road boosters from El Dorado County who shared in the meeting report that Mr. Kelly said it is expected that within about two weeks the Pony Express Route will be cleared of snow over the Echo Summit.

It was learned Saturday morning that the state snowplow is working near the "snow slide area" west of Phillips Station, in a snow depth of 84 inches.

The El Dorado County delegation to the meeting included District Attorney Henry S. Lyon, H. P. Brown, Cecil George, John A. Raffetto, Jr., Wallace M. Ripley, H. E. Dillinger and Norman H. Robotham.

Archie Stevenot, of Merced, president, presided and there was an attendance of more than seventy. The report for El Dorado County was made by Mr. Dillinger.

Mr. Kelly said that tourists spent \$260,000,000 in California in 1936 and pointed out that California's auto registration is now the largest in the nation, exceeding 2,600,000. He said it will cost two hundred millions of dollars to bring the state highway system up to traffic standards.

The state has spent over two and a half millions of dollars on Highway 49 since taking over the route, he said.

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Comedy Pleases Large Audience

Shakespeare Drama Section Excels In Presentation Of Three-Act Farce

A large and appreciative audience greeted the Shakespeare Club drama section players Friday evening for their offering of Mary Wilcox' three-act comedy, "Her Emergency Family."

The presentation was at the Shakespeare clubhouse, under the supervision of the drama section chairman, Mrs. H. P. Brown. The high school orchestra directed by Charles W. Ball assisted in the presentation.

Members of the audience seemed pleased that in addition to the talent of the players who had been selected for the comedy, their parts had been especially well chosen to suit their abilities.

In the cast were Mrs. Alma Barker as Miss Jane Meek; Mrs. Marjorie Peterson as Annie; Mrs. Tietha Nelson as Bella; Mrs. Evelyn Brander as Kate Storm; Mrs. Reba Sinclair as Bunny Brown; Cecil Barker as Larry Carr; Seth Beach as Ted Bliss; Mrs. Mary Hand as Aunt Hannah Steele; Captain Don Hoffman as Chuck Jones; and Don Emmerson as Henry Black.

60 DAYS IN JAIL FOR BREAKING INTO SUMMER CABIN

Jean Guidaud and Theophile Fouchet, charged with breaking into a summer cabin owned by Teresa Carroll, of Mills, a short distance below Phillips Resort, were found guilty Friday afternoon before Justice of the Peace T. F. Lewis and sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail.

There were no evidence that the two had taken anything from the cabin. They had been enroute to Lake Tahoe by car, they said, and had sought shelter in the cabin, which they entered by taking a door off its hinges, as night overtook them.

In passing sentence, the court pointed out that the cabin was private property and that the mere fact they were so foolish as to continue into the summit area despite signs notifying them the road was closed, and then found night coming on and the need of shelter, was no excuse.

Someone suggested after sentence was passed that the road will be open to Tahoe by the time the two complete their sentence.

Mrs. Luella Benson was in town from Summit Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowman were in town Saturday from Springvale section.

WEATHER

Fair tonight and Sunday; no change in temperature.

MOTHER' DAY RITIS SET

Picnic At Rescue, Special Services In Churches To Mark Day In County

Special services in two Placerville churches and the annual picnic at Rescue are the principal events announced in El Dorado County's observance of Mothers' Day on Sunday.

Friday afternoon at the high school the Girls' League and the Boys' Forum joined in their annual Mothers' Day tea, and Saturday afternoon at the parlors of the Federated Church a Mothers' Day tea was held.

Sunday morning, Placerville Eagles will go in a body to the Church of Our Saviour for their Mothers' Day services and in the evening the young people of the Federated Church will conduct a special service.

The eighth annual Mothers' Day picnic at Rescue promises to attract a large gathering of present and former county residents. Exercises billed to start at 10:30 o'clock in the morning will have Dr. L. J. Anderson as master of ceremonies, and speakers will include the Rev. John Dunlop, who will give the Mothers' Day address.

Warden Clyde I. Plummer, of Folsom Prison, Attorney Charles Gilmore, of Sacramento; State Master George Sehlmeier, of the Grange; and Frank Pierce, chairman of the recreation department of the California.

The county high school band will assist with the program and there will be other musical numbers on the program, with Harry Cridge leading in community singing.

Following the exercises will come the picnic luncheon, for which free coffee will be provided, and in the afternoon a varied program of races and other sports contests.

The picnic is arranged each year jointly by the Rescue Grange and Farm Center as a community event and is held at the Litten-MacDonald Grove.

\$50,000 Fire At Capital

2 Top Floors Of Ochsner Building Burned Out in Blaze Found At 4 A. M.

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—A four-alarm fire early today caused damage estimated at \$50,000 to the Ochsner building in the center of the business district here and sent scantily clad guests of the Hotel Worth fleeing to the street for safety.

Two top floors of the business block, occupied by law firms, were destroyed. Stores on the lower floors were damaged by water. The adjoining hotel was undamaged.

The blaze, of undetermined origin, was discovered at 4 a. m. firemen battled for more than two hours before the flames were controlled.

BREWERS SEEK CONTROL OF SIZE OF BEER CONTAINER

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—Major beer brewing companies of California, campaigning against the use of an 8-ounce beer container, today awaited a decision from the state board of equalization following a hearing in the capitol yesterday.

The California brewers institute, representing nearly 80 per cent of the beer produced in the state, and several allied organizations, contended the board should standardize the size of containers to prevent confusion and unnecessary expense within the industry.

The hearing was called after the increasing use of the 8-ounce bottle sold by the Adolph Coors Brewing Company of Golden, Colo., and since the past week by the Albion Brewing Company Inc., of San Francisco. Both concerns argued the board had no jurisdiction to fix size of containers, that a smaller bottle promoted temperance, prevented waste, and filled a consumer demand.

ROOSTER IRKS CITY

ST. LOUIS (UP)—The most annoying noise in the city of St. Louis is the crowing of roosters, according to a number of protests received by the anti-noise committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

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CUTTING IN



5 to 6 p. m.

KFBK—Comics; 5:30 Stars of Tomorrow.

KROY — Let There be Music; 5:30 News; 5:45 Dance.

KSFO—Debate; 5:30 Saturday Night Serenade.

KPO—Al Roth; 5:30 One-Act Comedy.

KGO—Safety; 5:15 Cugat; 5:30 See KFBK.

KFRG—Soldiers of Miss Fortune; 5:30 Announced.

6 to 7 p. m.

KFBK—Design for Music; 6:30 Family Party.

KROY — Rhumba; 6:15 Brevities; 6:30 There Was a Time; 6:45 Capitol Opinions.

KSFO—Your Hit Parade; 6:45 Capitol Opinions.

KPO—See KFBK.

KGO—Symphony.

KFRG—John B. Hughes; 6:15 T. B. A.; 6:30 Sports; 6:45 Announced.

7 to 8 p. m.

KFBK—Symphony; 7:15 Speed Gibson; 7:30 the California Pension Plan.

KSFO—Jack Crawford; 7:30 Johnny Presents.

KPO—Barn Dance.

KGO—Symphony; 7:30 Horace Heidt.

KFRG—Calif. Council; 7:15 Dance; 7:45 Camera Man.

8 to 9 p. m.

KFBK—Horace Heidt; 8:30 Herbie Kaye.

KSFO—Prof. Quiz; 8:30 Nat Brandwynne.

KPO—Hawaiian Music; 8:30 Blue Baron.

KGO—See KFBK.

KFRG—Amateur Hour.

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9 to 10 p. m.

KFBK—Charlie Agnew; 9:30 Carl Ravazza.

KSFO—Henry King; 9:30 Let's Celebrate; 9:45 Orchestra.

KPO—Hotel Paxton Orchestra; 9:30 Sammy Watkins.

KGO—Gray Gordon; 9:30 Carl Ravazza.

KFRG—News; 9:15 Jan Garber; 9:30 Anson Weeks.

10 to 11 p. m.

KFBK—Harry Rosenthal; 10:15 Hawaiian Paradise; 10:45 Merle Carlson.

KSFO—Barn Dance; 10:45 Ozzie Nelson.

KPO—Joe Sudy; 10:30 Hal Drieske.

KGO—Bob Sanders; 10:30 Frank Trombar.

KFRG—Skinny Ennis; 10:30 Ted Fiorito.

11 p. m. to 12 Midnight

KFBK—Slumber Time; 11:15 It's Cafe; 11:45 Paul Carson.

KSFO—Dance Band; 11:30 Civic Band; 11:45 Les Parker.

KPO—Harry Owen; 11:30 Archie Loveland.

KGO—News; 11:15 Paul Carson.

KFRG—News; 11:05, Spud Murphy; 11:30 Playboys.

LOTUS

Ray Rosenberger and wife, of Coloma, took Mr. and Mrs. George Pountain to Oakland Tuesday last to attend the funeral of Mrs. Pountain's only brother, Ben Nedderman, who died at his residence early Monday morning, April 25. He was buried on the 27th. Mrs. Pountain is the only one left of the Nedderman family. All of her other folks died under the age of 60 years. At the time of Ben's death his birthday was only a few days short of 59 years. Nedderman conducted a large paint and oil store in Oakland for some years past, retiring from his store about a year ago. Mrs. Pountain has our sympathy in the loss of her honored member of the Masonic fraternity, Knight Templars and Shrine, which order had charge of his funeral. Deceased leaves his wife and sister and several nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Eddie Murphy and wife and Mrs. Murphy's mother, Mrs. Deisel and son, Guy, came up from their Oakland home the past week and after spending the week-end, Eddie and Guy returned home, leaving Mrs. Murphy and her mother up here. They will spend a few weeks at the Murphy Oaks, their summer home, near the Four Corners.

Gerald Stevenson went to Sacramento Saturday afternoon to visit with his best girl friend and take in the rodeo. He returned home late Sunday evening in all the rain.

William Potter, of the Four Corners chicken ranch, went down to Petaluma a short time ago and returned with his wife's sister, Mrs. Lola Wagner, who is now visiting at the Potter residence.

Charlie Rasmussen had the misfortune a week ago last Monday night to have his pet milk cow die in calf birth. He has had the animal for the past seven years and she will be much missed by him. He gave the heifer calf to Francis Bacchi and it is getting along fine.

Henry Morey, of Placerville, Gordon Archcraft, formerly a state highway man here, with his wife and family, from Sacramento, Bill Fredericks, salesman for a large wholesale paper house in San Francisco, all visited our town the past week.

Mrs. Irma Lawyer has been confined to her bed the past week with an attack of severe cold and flu. Dr. Reckers, from Placerville, visited her Friday and she is now getting along nicely and will soon be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Stevenson spent the week-end at Oroville. They went up Saturday morning and returned late Sunday evening. Dudley went up to go fishing with some of his friends while his wife took in the sights of the town. We did not learn how many fish they brought home with them.

Archie Lawyer is building an addition to his resort, The Lotus Oaks, which he recently purchased from Jack Wells. Clarence Tidd is the architect and builder and he and his wife intend to open for business about the 15th of the present month.

Among those from here who went down to Sacramento Sunday to take

in the rodeo were Henry Bacchi, Melvin Gallagher, Bill Stagg, Fred Costello, Dennis O'Brien, wife and family. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bacchi and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hines were Auburn callers the past week, doing a little trading and sight seeing.

George McKay and Asa La Flam are new arrivals in our town and are occupying the Harry Reaside cottage on Main street for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hansen and Mrs. Florence Hines were Placerville visitors Monday for a few hours.

Among those in our town attending to business matters were Rodger Douglas, of Folsom, who visited with his nephew, Fred Castillo; Attilio Guidici and son, Ray, Manuel Costa, of Pilot Hill; Walter Martin, of Sacramento; Jim Turnbaugh and Bill Traplin, the saw filer, who called on Archie Lawyer; Andy Wolfe, the stockman, and Gus Snider, of Garden Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leonard and son, Victor, who spent a few hours; Mrs. Rose Hansen, Mrs. Ethel McCutcheon, of Coloma and her sister, Mrs. Martin, of Nevada City, and G. Metcalf, who came up from his school at Davis and spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Metcalf in Coloma.

The weather the past week has not been so good, mostly cloudy days with rains Saturday and Sunday.

The Rebekah card party by the ladies of that lodge at their hall in Coloma Tuesday night, was well attended. The prizes were fine and the supper, after the game, was up-to-date.

COLOMA

Miss Agnes Bayne is home from Oakland visiting her brother, John and his family.

Oscar Jacobson, of Kelsey, was a Coloma visitor Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall.

Mrs. Irma Lawver has been very ill and under the care of Dr. Reckers.

Charles Thiele has returned from a visit of several months with relatives at Glendale.

Mrs. Rose Ashley, of Auburn, visited her brothers at the old home place, last week.

In spite of the cold showers there were about 100 visitors registered at Marshall Park, Sunday. The bay cities, Sacramento Valley towns and Placer County were all well represented.

Bruce Hall is in Santa Cruz on business this week.

Fun Night, put on here by the 4-H Clubs of Northside, Rescue, Kelsey, Missouri Flat, Brandon, Union, and Mt. Danaher at our community hall Saturday evening was truly an evening of fun. Song leader, Helen Bennett, of Kelsey, knows her job and kept them busy with old-time songs, everybody knew. The Rescue orchestra of boys and girls can well be proud of themselves as can the girls of Missouri Flat who made a very pretty quilt which was given away. Every number was good and the interesting talk by Frank Spurrier of the Berkeley office and songs by Frank Dranan, were all tops.

Republican classified ads always pay.

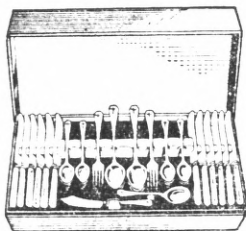


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BRONCHO BILL

The Strain Told



By Harry F. O'Neill



Up and Down Broadway

By JACK GAVER

United Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, (U.P.)—The drama that blooms in the spring has the unenviable reputation of being about as exciting as a game of pat-a-cake, but there are a couple of items which must be seen. They are "What A Life," a new play by Clifford Goldsmith, and Somerset Maugham's famous "The Circle," which William A. Brady has revived in an admirable fashion.

"What A Life" is another comedy feather in the cap of Producer George Abbott, who shattered the spring doldrums a year ago with the hilarious "Room Service." The new comedy is more on the homey and less on the brash side than most of the Abbott frolics, concerning itself with the troubles of a high school junior who is continually in hot water with his teachers. Everyone has known someone of this type—some may have been the type—and the play is bound to bring back fond memories to most of his auditors.

Maugham's play is still a compelling treatise on the vagaries of the human heart and it remains surprisingly undated. It pursues a cynical thesis on the frailties of man and woman caught in the perilous ecstasy of illicit love.

Lady Kitty, the toast of London when she scammed off with her lover, returns to find her son in the same bereft position in which she left her husband, Clive, some 30 years back. It was for love that Kitty quit her crop.

high estate and her 5-year-old Arnold to go away with Lord Porteous, Clive's best friend. And now Arnold is master of the old house but not master of his wife, the lovely Elizabeth, who has fallen out of step with his pedantic, efficient, and immaculately successful ways. Also she has fallen in love with Edward Luton who would have her go off with him to the Malayan Peninsula.

Easily enough under the sequences of Maugham's pen they all come together under Arnold's roof. Elizabeth has contrived the reunion or Arnold and his estranged mother chiefly because she would see how these things work out.

But Lady Kitty and the blustering old Porteous are anything but an inspiration for young love. Still, with naive assurance, Elizabeth and Luton are untouched by the tragic example of an older and riper disillusion and so, gathering up the fibers of a new life, they are off.

Brady's publicists speak of an all-star cast and on that count there can be no quibbling, beginning with Kitty, the perennial Grace George, and running down the short line to the impeccable pedantry of Bramwell Fletcher as the latter-day cuckold.

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Summit Open In About 2 Weeks

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He declared that the state has to consider the Mother Lode highway on the basis of its great recreational and tourist value.

Among other speakers was District Attorney Henry S. Lyon who urged that it is important that all of California support the development of the Mother Lode highway, not only for the benefit of the present generation but as an aid to preserving for posterity the historic lore and treasures of the Mother Lode.

State Senator A. L. Pierovich said that the best argument he had found in support of development of the Mother Lode Highway was Mr. Kelly's statement that he had to "slow up" while driving between Jackson and Mokelumne Hill.

Mr. Kelly invited the association to present a concrete plan before the highway commission at their budget hearings later this year and promised to arrange the conference and to have present two resident state highway engineers.

The association adjourned to meet in Jackson in August at the call of the president.

Valley Publishers In Fresno Conference

FRESNO (UP)—An address tonight by Adamantios T. Polyzois, of the University of Southern California, was scheduled to climax a joint conference of north and south San Joaquin valley units of the California Newspapers Publishers Association here today.

Round table discussions of newspaper problems led by member publishers featured the day's program. A symposium of the discussions will be presented at the evening session.

NEW RULE Effective May 1st

A minimum charge of 50c for all classified advertising less than 50c. run-through the books as "Charge Accounts."

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Church News

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Placerville, Bedford Avenue at Union Street.

ADAM and FALLEN MAN. Services, 11 a. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening. Testimonial Meeting 8 p. m.

The reading room at the church building is open Tuesday and Friday from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock.

In all Christian Science churches, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., a Lesson-Sermon was read Sunday, May 1, on the subject "Everlasting Punishment."

The Golden Text was: "Have I any pleasure at all that the wicked should die? saith the Lord God: and not that he should return from his ways, and live?" (Ezekiel 18: 23). Bible selections included the following passage from Hebrews 12: 11: "Now no chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous, but grievous; nevertheless afterwards it yieldeth the peaceable fruit of righteousness unto them which are exercised thereby."

A passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, was also included, which reads as follows: "The sharp experiences of belief in the suppositious life of matter, as well as our disappointments and ceaseless woes, turn us like tired children to the arms of divine Love. Then we begin to learn Life in divine Science. Without this process of weaning, 'Canst thou by searching find out God?' (p. 322).

FEDERATED CHURCH H. G. Morehouse

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Theme: Co-operating in service.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship service, theme: Mary the Mother of Our Lord. "Hail thou that art highly favored; the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women."

5:00 p. m. Junior C. E. led by Mrs. Morehouse.

6:30 p. m. High school C. E., theme: "This Business of Propaganda."

6:30 p. m. Young people's C. E., theme: "Why Can't we Serve Two Masters?"

7:30 p. m. Evening worship, Young people's Mothers' Day service to their Mothers.

10:00 a. m. Sunday school at Georgetown.

2:00 p. m. Worship service at Coloma.

2:00 p. m. Sunday school Camino.

3:45 p. m. Worship service, Camino.

Thursday 7:30 p. m. Bible study.

The young people of the El Dorado County Federated Church are conducting the evening Worship Service Sunday May 8 at eight o'clock. They have arranged a program honoring their mothers. The order of the services will be:

Prelude, Doxology, Invocation, chorus, "When Mother Prayed," Reading, "Mother Remembered," Men's Chorus, "God Bless Our Mothers," Responsive Reading; Hymn, "Faith of Our Mothers;" Scripture Themes, Rebekah the Mother of Patriarchs, Gen. 27; Mary the Mother of Jesus, Luke 1; Potential Promise Associated with all Motherhood, Luke 1:46-55; Girls' Chorus; "My Mother's Face in Memory;" Reading; "In Mother's Face;" Announcements and Offering; Solo; Presentation of Flowers to Mothers; Duet: "Mother's Old-Fashioned Flowers;" Chorus: "No Love Like Mothers' Love;" Talk: "Appreciating Our Mothers;" Prayer; Reading: "I Must Be Strong;" Hymn: "I Would Be True;" Benediction.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

The special revival service, conducted by the pastor, A. Downing, will continue every night this week.

Special program Mothers' Day, Sunday, May 8th, at 11 a. m.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Classes for all ages.

Young people's service at 6:30.

Evangelistic service at 7:30 special music.

A cordial welcome awaits you.

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR (Episcopal)

Rev. Rex A. Barron

10 a. m. Sunday school.

11 a. m. Mothers' Day service. Sermon subject, "The Spirit of Motherhood."

Placerville Aerie No. 889, F. O. E., will attend this service as a body in observance of Mothers' Day.

The following special musical numbers will be offered with Mrs. R. A. Healy at the organ: Prelude, "Largo," Handel; Offertory solo, Mrs. G. H. Wickes; Postlude, Opus 28, Number 4, by Chopin.

FULL GOSPEL MISSION

E. L. Lassegues, Pastor

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.

Open air service, 7:00 p. m.

Evening service, 7:45 p. m.

Tuesday (Bible Study), 7:45 p. m.

Friday, (Y. P.), 7:45 p. m.

The Public is cordially invited to all services.

Hitler And Mussolini

Turn To Radio

ROME, (UP)—Fuehrer Adolf Hitler's visit to Premier Benito Mussolini, his partner in the "Rome-Berlin axis" tonight reaches its climax when both the leaders make formal speeches—agreed on in advance—reviewing their negotiations and advising Europe of their policies.

Well informed Italian sources said that no startling developments should be expected.

Folsom Negro Goes To Insane Hospital

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—Robert Stirling, 31, Folsom negro convict, convicted of slaying a prison guard with a pick-handle, will be sent to the state hospital for criminally insane, court officials said today after a jury decided the prisoner was mentally incompetent at the time of the killing.

Stirling beat Guard Willard Johnston to death February 24. The same superior court jury which found him guilty of first degree murder returned a verdict last night that he was insane.

Louis And Schmeling To Sign Wednesday

NEW YORK, (UP)—Joe Louis, heavyweight champion, and Max Schmeling, former title holder, will appear before the New York State Athletic Commission Wednesday to post forfeits and sign contracts for their June 22 title fight, promoter Mike Jacobs announced today.

Schmeling will arrive in New York from Germany Monday aboard the Bremen. Louis will arrive Wednesday morning and leave that night for Lafayette, N. Y., where he will rough it until May 26. Schmeling will make camp next week at Speculator, N. Y.

DISMISSAL ASKED IN SUIT AGAINST NEVADA CNTY

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—A motion to dismiss the \$1,196,000 damage suit against Nevada county authorities filed by miners involved in the recent CIO "purge" at Nevada City and Grass Valley was submitted in federal court here today.

The petition, filed by Mayor Ben Hall of Nevada City, asks dismissal of the action on grounds that no federal laws were violated and therefore the court has no jurisdiction. It also asserts the complaint set forth insufficient facts to provide a cause for action.

The case has been placed on the calendar for next Monday, when federal court opens its May session here.

SEARS POINT CUT-OFF PURCHASE GIVEN COMMISSION OK

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—Earl Lee Kelly, director of public works, today was authorized by the state highway commission to purchase Sears Point toll road for \$200,000 provided legal status of the acquisition is approved by the attorney general.

Because highway funds are not available for the purchase, due to heavy expenditures in repairing flood-damaged roads, Kelly said the property would have to be acquired through a long-term payment arrangement. The commission authorized payment of 4 per cent interest on the \$200,000.

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Mothers' Day Thoughts

There is a tendency to turn Mothers' Day away from the sentimental to the practical. Both are valuable—sentiment and practical deeds for the welfare of mothers. Many a person, who forgets on ordinary days to show his appreciation for his mother, will turn on this day to express his love for her. He may say it with flowers, with loving care, or with words, by voice or by letter. The flowers and words are precious—but the practical should not be omitted.

Has your mother the comforts of life which you enjoy? Do you pay loving attention to her, are you merely coldly polite, or do you "pass by on the other side?" When did you last write her a letter or go to see her?

Then there are the mothers of the world—the young mothers as well as the aged, and the mothers-to-be. More lives of mothers were lost in child birth in the ten years after the war, than of soldiers killed in the World War. Scientific medical care would have saved those mothers to bring up their children and to be loved and honored by them. Has your community adequate facilities for the care of young mothers? Every prospective mother should be in the care of a competent physician during pregnancy.

More than your presents, Mother values your presence. Go to see her on Mothers' Day. Spend the day with her if you can, even though it be a hundred miles away. If you live with or near her, get up a surprise dinner for her, with just the family about. Get the dinner yourself, and do not let Mother know what the menu will be, and by all means, do not let her lift a finger to help prepare it. Incidentally, after you have all had the feast together, do not run off to the show or start home early and leave Mother all the dishes to wash.

"Who ran to help me when I fell, And would some pretty story tell, Or kiss the place to make it well? My Mother." —Anne Taylor.

The most worth-while task in the world is that of being a good mother.

COOL

Mrs. Carroll Miller entertained Wednesday afternoon at a bridge tea. Her guests included Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. Will Lehman, Mrs. George Threlkel, Mrs. Alfred Brady, Mrs. John Arthur, Mrs. Louis Enzler, Mrs. Everett Haslam, Miss Bertha Scott and Miss Ursula Hogan. High score was held by Miss Scott.

A fair sized crowd attended the dance here Saturday evening in spite of the rainy weather.

Miss Margaret Lehman is home from the hospital and will soon be about again.

Miss Ursula Hogan, Cave Valley teacher, drove to Sacramento on the evening of April 26 to hear a lecture given by Dr. Kilpatrick, of Columbia Teachers' College on the subject of "Study, Learning and Discipline." The talk was sponsored by the Sacramento, Yolo and Placer County teacher associations.

Hail fell in this section during the noon hour Monday and a light frost was reported on Tuesday morning.

Miss Beulah Sander was an overnight guest of Lynn and Jean Haslam, Friday.

Recorder's Filings

May 5, 1938

Location notice, "Gateway Quartz" claim by Russell J. Wilson.

Mortgage, W. H. James, a single man to George M. Perine.

Promissory note, W. H. James to G. M. Perine.

Tax deed, Geo. M. Smith, tax collector to Jafet Lindeberg.

Abstract of judgment, James Petrali, Jr. Pltf., vs. Joe Smith and Gladys C. Smith, his wife, as deftds.

Deed of gift, E. F. Putney, a single man to Barbara Drouin.

Judgment, Luella M. Pryor, pltf. vs. Louise D. Kleinsorge, H. B. Drescher and Georgia Gross, formerly Georgia Stephens, deftds.

Location notice, "Passover Quartz" by Fred G. DeBerry.

May 6, 1938

Deed Ted Balderston and Elva Balderston, his wife, to Walter Kern and Margaret Kern, his wife.

Quit claim deed, W. H. Morrison, R. B. Someby and W. F. Fisher, to R. J. Miedel.

Deed, Walter Kern and Margaret Kern, his wife, to John Balderston, a married man.

Quit claim deed, Paul Kemple Aylesworth, a single man, to Ada K. Aylesworth, a widow.

Deed, William Louis Toombs to Agnes Eleanor Spence, his daughter.

Reconveyance, Henry S. Lyon and Guy E. Wentworth, trustees to H. E. Dillinger and Alice L. Dillinger.

Deed, H. E. Dillinger and Alice L. Dillinger, husband and wife, to Pacifico Pezzola.

Notice of intended sale of personal property, El Dorado Timber Co., from C. O. Dorman.

Deed, Benjamin F. Snider and Mary P. Snider, his wife, to Henry F. O. Bacchi and Mary S. Bacchi, husband and wife, as joint tenants.

Grant deed, Esther Globin to Al Tahoe Investment Company, a corporation.

N. D. G. W. CARD PARTY

May 11, I. O. O. F. Hall, 8:00 p. m. Score cards, refreshments 35c. 7m-3t.

Fruit growers of the Napa Valley lighted their heaters on March 30th, when the temperature fell to 28.

Gaxton Guest Star On Radio Monday Night

William Gaxton, star of "Of Thee I Sing," "Let Them Eat Cake," and a number of other noted New York stage successes, is the guest headlined on Boswell-Husing-Himber show at 8:00 to 8:30 o'clock Monday evening, May 9, over KSFO and the Columbia Network. Gaxton is famed as the actor who has never had a "flop" show. He has more successful shows to his credit than any other stage personality. Ted Husing will also present another star from the world of sports in a revealing interview; and Connie Boswell's singing and Richard Himber's music round out the program's musical menu.

SIGN TAKES RIDE

PASADENA (UP)—A sign from the Pasadena Municipal golf course, which was washed out by floods was carried down the Arroyo Seco by overflow from Devil Gate's dam, then into Los Angeles river, and finally out to the open sea, from which it was eventually washed ashore at Long Beach.

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